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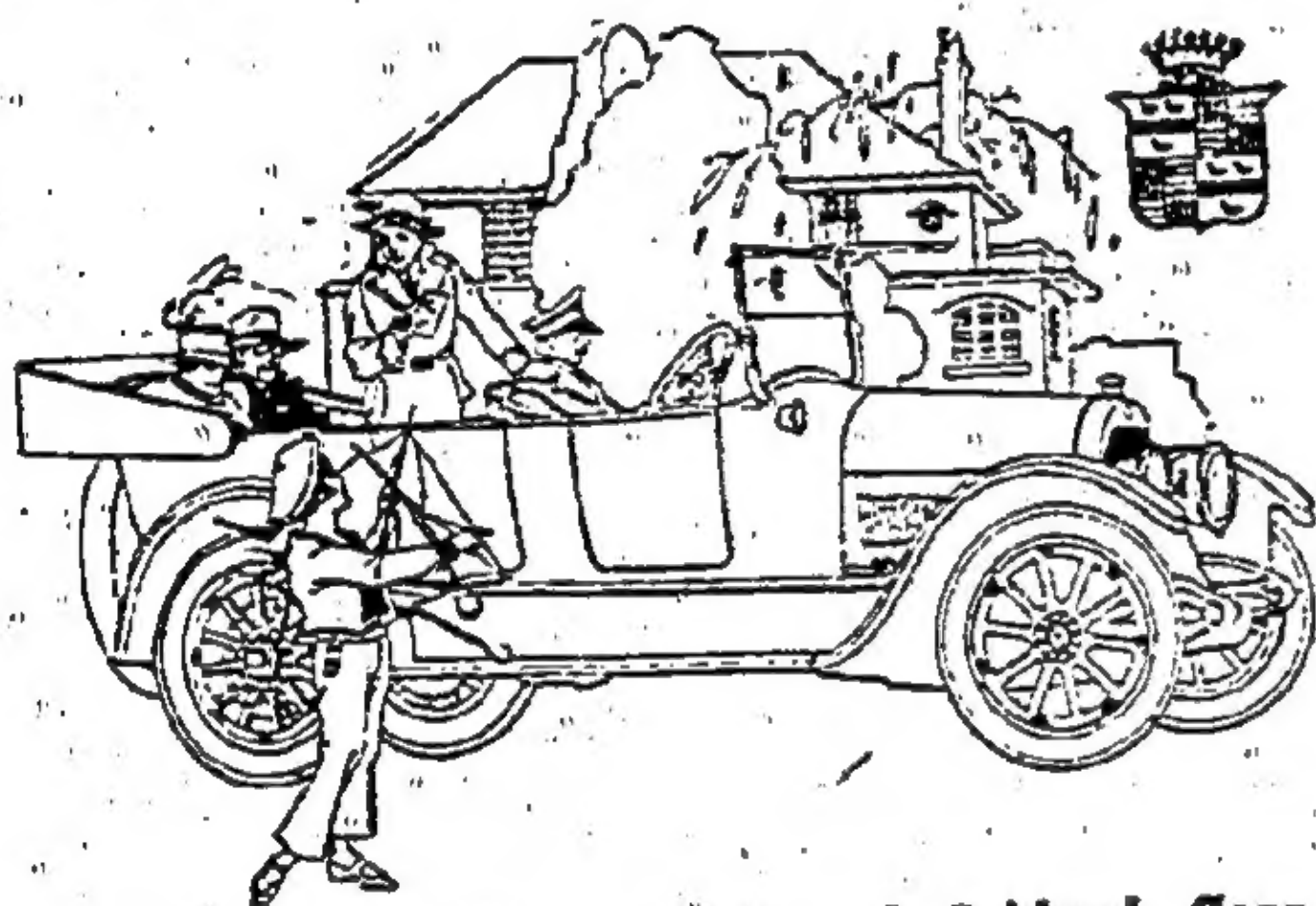
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## TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reader's Service to the China Mail)

### NAVAL STRENGTH.

HOW THE THREE PRINCIPAL WORLD POWERS STAND.

### FUTURE COMPARISONS.

WASHINGTON, January 9.

A recapitulation of the naval strength of the three principal powers in the world which is in the hands of the American Government shows that on January 1 Britain had 32 battleships and battle cruisers (mounting guns of 13.5 inch or over) with a tonnage of 811,000, the United States 16 with a tonnage of 300,000, and Japan nine with a tonnage of 267,500. Projected strength in similar ships at the end of 1923 will be—Britain the same as above, the United States 27 with a tonnage of 953,000, and Japan 16 with a tonnage of 529,000.

### JAPAN'S INCREASE.

Japan is expected to reach the greatest ratio of increase between 1923 and 1927 when she will have 24 capital ships with a tonnage of 849,000, while the relative standing of Britain and the United States will remain the same. The total first line ship strength on January 1 of Britain was 532 with a tonnage of 1,601,500, the United States 330 with a tonnage of 766,750, and Japan 43 with a tonnage of 340,500. The Government's information shows that although the British preponderance in capital ships will be virtually overcome with the completion of the American 1923 building programme, the American navy will still be greatly inferior in the types of vessels which naval officers consider extremely important, notably destroyer leaders, cruisers, light cruisers, cruising submarines, and aeroplane ships.

### AMERICA'S ATTITUDE.

MARTIN, ALABAMA, January 9.

At a conference, President-elect Harding and Mr. Butler, Chairman of the naval committee of the House of Representatives, discussed the question of keeping the United States one of the strongest naval powers in the world until a binding disarmament agreement could be reached. Although the final decision must await future developments, it is stated that the present attitude of President-elect Harding points towards the incoming administration continuing the fleet of shipbuilding now in progress. Mr. Butler recommended President-elect Harding to canvass world sentiment with regard to disarmament and seek an exchange of international opinion quite apart from any plan for an association of nations.

### GLUT OF COAL IN FRANCE.

LONDON, January 9.

There is a glut of coal in France partly owing to the unexpected German fulfilment of deliveries under the Spa agreement. The Government, which was greatly surprised, had previously bought heavily in America and England. There are now 15,000,000 tons stored. A substantial reduction in price is announced. The American imports were sold at 70 francs in consequence of the surplus.

### BRAZIL FINANCIAL CRISIS.

CRASH THREATENED OWING TO EXCESSIVE RISE OF DOLLAR.

LONDON, January 9.

The financial crisis in Brazil owing to the fall in exchange and the raising of the price of enormous imports, especially from North America and the slump in coffee, is considerably lowering the value of exports. A crash is threatened owing to the excessive rise of the dollar. Leading Brazilian bankers suggest as a remedy an American loan of \$50,000,000 or \$60,000,000 which will enable the Government to assist traders, also to buy and hold coffee for a rise.

### TROOP MOVEMENTS IN ASIA MINOR.

CONSTANTINOPLE, January 9.

A Greek force is strongly reconcentrating in the Bursa region without orders from the Supreme Council, apparently with the object of proving that the advent of Constantine has not affected the dependability of Greek troops. Various reports confirm a rumour that the Kemalists are making important preparations for an early offensive, apparently against Smyrna. All men to the age of 46 years are being mobilised and big concentrations of troops are reported in the interior of Asia Minor.

### IRISH PROBLEM.

HELPFUL INTERMEDIARY BETWEEN MODERATE SINN FEINERS.

LONDON, January 9.

It transpires that Father O'Flanagan recently conferred with Mr. Lloyd George in London. It is stated that while special significance is not attached to Father O'Flanagan and Mr. Lloyd George's meeting, it is considered that the former is regarded as a helpful intermediary between the moderate Sinn Feiners.

### PREMIERS TO MEET IN PARIS.

PARIS, January 9.

A Havas message states that the British ambassador visited the French Premier to notify the British Government's cordial acceptance of the suggested meeting. The place and date selected are Paris on January 19, next. According to La Temps the experts' conference which was to resume work at Bruxelles on January 10 may be postponed for a few days owing to important documents not having come to hand yet.

PARIS, January 6.

A Havas message states that the papers are unanimously expressing satisfaction at the readiness of the British Government to meet the French Government's desire respecting the suggested conference of Allied Premiers.

### AMERICA'S FINANCIAL SANITY.

NEW YORK, January 9.

Mr. Harding, governor of the Federal Reserve Board, in a speech said that the nation had recovered its financial sanity and any danger of a general collapse had now passed. The country's economic and industrial future depended more than ever on foreign trade.

## CARGO PILFERING.

FOUR COMMITTED TO TRIAL.

### HEARING AT MAGISTRACY.

Four Chinese involved in the theft of goods to the value of \$3,500, part of the cargo of the steamer "Rhesus," were committed for trial at the Sessions after a hearing on Saturday at the Magistracy before Mr. G. N. Orme.

The accused were a ship's tallyman and two tallymen employed at Holt's Wharf, who were charged, with accessory of the goods, and a broker with premises at No. 3 Tung Man Street, charged with receiving the goods, knowing that they were stolen.

The property consisted of piece goods and blankets, consigned to Messrs Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ltd. and Messrs Bradley & Co.

Mr. D. J. Lewis appeared for the prosecution; Mr. J. M. Hall represented the first defendant; Mr. D. H. Blake the second, Mr. D'Almada the third and Mr. A. H. Crew the fourth, the alleged receiver.

It was alleged that the first three defendants conspired to alter tally sheets so that some of the goods discharged from the ship might appear to have gone astray.

Sergeant Stimson said he had examined the marks on the packages seized at No. 3 Tung Man Street; that some of the marks had been planed away; but others remained, and these were the same as those appearing on the list of packages.

A Chinese detective, Li Cheung, had accompanied Sergeant Stimson on December 28 to No. 3, Tung Man Street. The fourth defendant was there, opening cases of goods. He said he had received them from the first defendant.

A checker testified to receiving the tally sheets and putting them in a locker in the Assistant Manager's office. He did not touch them until Mr. Grunwell, Assistant Manager, applied for them in the afternoon. They had apparently not been tampered with when he handed them over to Mr. Grunwell.

In reply to Mr. Blake's question, the checker said it was possible that somebody might have seen them in the locker during the time when he was absent.

Mr. Grunwell and the assistant comptroller of Holt's godowns gave evidence. The latter said when he examined the tally sheets given by the Police, his attention was attracted by three of the documents bearing the signatures of persons not known to him. All ship's tallymen had to be approved by his department and he kept a list of them.

In reply to Mr. Blake, the assistant comptroller said he did not recognise the second defendant's handwriting. This completed the case for the prosecution. The legal advisers of the defendants indicated that they reserved their defence. The Magistrate then asked about the case against the third defendant.

Mr. Lewis: His statement shows that he knew all that was going on and is therefore an accessory.

Mr. d'Almada said his client's statement was absolutely on evidence.

Mr. Lewis pointed out that third defendant's statement was that he warned the other defendants of the dangerous proceedings, and went no further. There was evidence that he was on duty on the morning when the goods were taken away.

Mr. d'Almada: There is no doubt that my client knew the goods were taken away and that is the only evidence we have got.

Mr. Lewis: The third defendant made a long statement in which he said the first and second defendants conspired to steal the goods.

Mr. d'Almada: But he didn't conspire with them.

Mr. Lewis: His statement is sufficient to require an explanation from him on oath.

The Magistrate: Is it not setting a rather high standard for him? No, he may have had very little knowledge on which to report his fellow workers.

Mr. Lewis: He had a pretty complete knowledge.

The Magistrate: I think the case is very slender against him.

Mr. Lewis: I indicate that this man was an accomplice and another charge may be laid against him.

Mr. d'Almada: The other charge has not been laid against him and is therefore not before the Court.

Mr. Lewis then quoted legal authority, and said that the third defendant's position made the case more serious. He was a servant of the Company and it was part of his duty to assist in keeping a proper check of the cargo, and if he neglected to do so he aided and abetted the other defendants.

The Magistrate said that as the case would be heard at the Sessions at an early date there would be very little hardship in committing defendant for trial.

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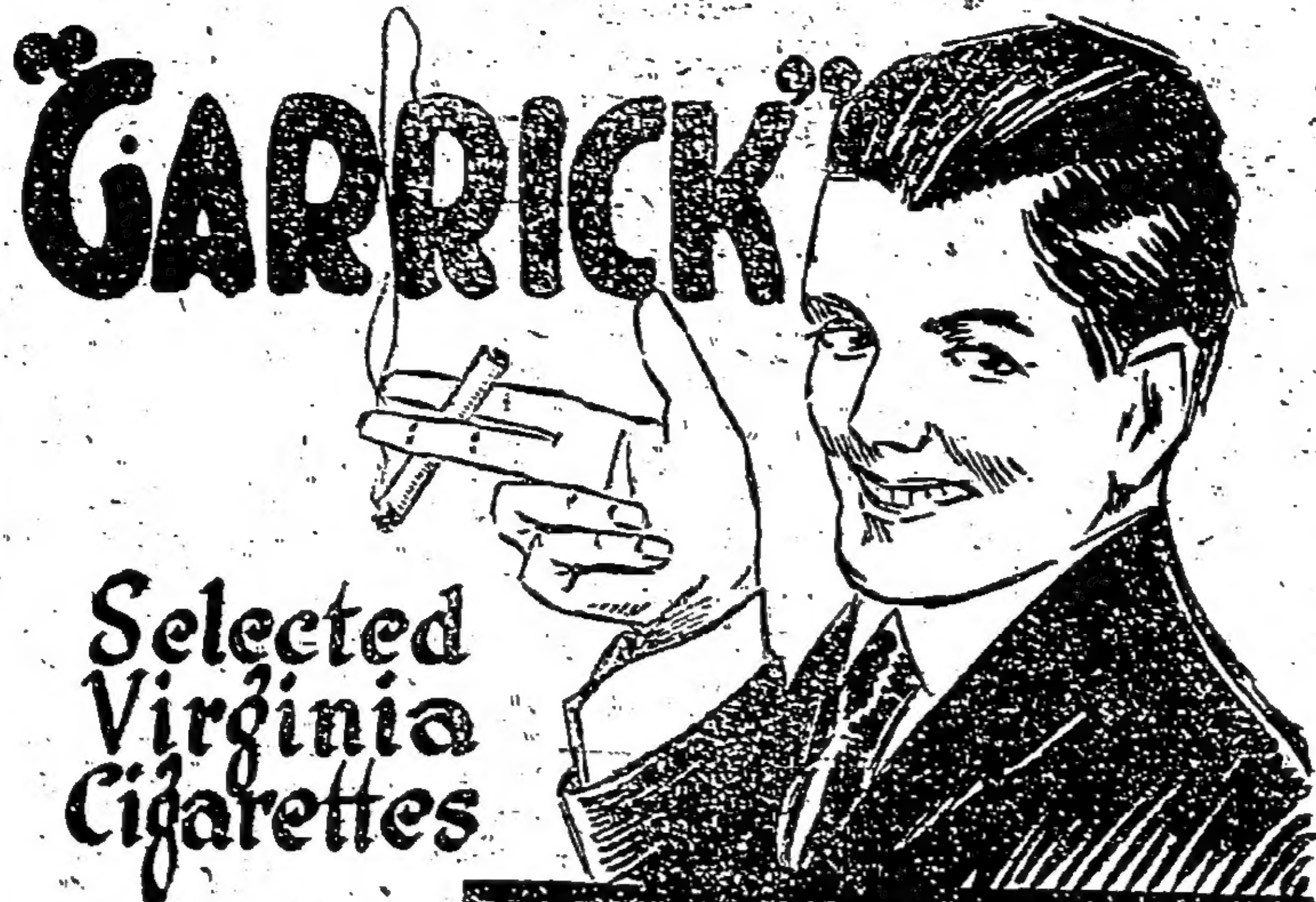
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red morocco. They are full of  
coloured pictures of strange people,  
of the people of China. Generations  
of English children have looked in  
those little picture books and learned  
from them that the Chinese folk are  
comically unlike the English.

That was all the story told by  
the two volumes. It was, indeed,  
the story brought to us by the first  
voyagers who sailed the long voyage  
out to the ends of the earth, to  
China and home again. The Chinese  
were so unlike ourselves that you  
could hardly think of them as men;  
they were not our brothers: they  
were the fantastic shapes which we  
saw painted upon the porcelain  
saucers.

## LEGENDARY.

The old legend is still alive among  
us. I have remarked that, in the  
novels written for simple English-  
men, the Chinaman must always be  
very yellow, very mysterious. He  
is a magician ever plotting against  
the peace of Europe with his yellow  
and secret magic. Let but a Chinese  
shadow flit across the first chapter  
of the romance and I will tell you  
that the hero and the heroine shall  
tread a perilous maze: yellow faces  
shall look terribly upon them before  
they come safe to the last chapter.

Yet a man with the humour for  
argument upon him might argue  
against all the novelists, and even  
against the little red books, that  
China is really inhabited by men,  
and by men who are not so oddly  
unlike ourselves as they seem when  
we see them on the porcelain saucer.  
Take that matter of the pigtail. The  
traveller who drew the pictures for  
the little books made much of the  
pigtail. Here, he said, are people so  
outlandish, so uncouth, that the men  
wear their long hair twisted into a  
long pigtail.

Now it is true that my own fashion  
of wearing my thin hair cropped  
short above the nape of the neck  
makes me unlike the pigtailed man.  
But I am still more unlike the writer  
of that old book. He was an Eng-  
lishman; but he had the "strange  
fancy of shaving his head, of boy-  
facing it with a wig of dead man's hair;  
preppy hair dressed with white flour.  
My great-grandfather in this wig is  
thus more remote from me than any  
Chinaman with a neat pigtail. Also  
I am told that the Chinese gentleman  
has now cut off his pigtail; he and I  
may look at my great-grandfather's  
picture and laugh together at the  
powdered wig.

But, says the little volume, you  
should listen to the follies of the  
Chinese. In their vanity they call  
their land a Celestial Empire; their  
chief men are chosen for their know-  
ledge of the ancient classics; they  
bestow titles upon ancestors; there  
is no end to their foolishness. Let  
us answer the little volume. When  
George III. was King, what did you  
call England? How often did you  
sing that song which describes  
Britannia as rising by Heaven's  
command out of the azure main to  
the delight of the angels? Your states-  
men, were they not bred up in  
schools where nothing was taught  
but the ancient classics of two other  
nations? It is strange enough that  
a great man's dead grandfather  
should be made a duke; is it stranger  
than our custom which orders that  
his unborn grandson shall be a duke?

## BROTHERHOOD.

I have eaten Chinese dishes and  
like them better than Italian dishes.  
I have talked with Chinese men and  
found that what amuses me makes  
them laugh. I can drink their fine  
teas without English milk; their  
manners please me more than do  
the manners of many Europeans.  
With the help of translations I can  
guess that what they take for a  
good sort of poetry I should take for  
a good sort of poetry. All these  
arguments I use with myself, until I  
understand that the Chinaman is re-  
ally my brother man, a good comrade  
in the crew that is sailing through  
space on this strange junk which is  
the world. Now at last I can un-  
derstand the day's news of the famine  
in China. Millions and millions of  
Chinese are dying of hunger. Chew-  
ing the leaves of trees, gnawing the  
bark, they wait for the winter that  
shall slay them. The age-killing  
children, the wells, are choked with  
their dead. Perhaps it is bet-  
ter to think of these people as the  
red volumes showed them, inhuman  
cousins of the porcelain figures. For  
if we begin to think of all men as  
our brothers the newspapers will tell  
us tales to wring the heart.

The Maritime Customs Revenue  
in Canton in 1920 was: Taels  
2,500,000; according to a despatch  
from Peking. Tientsin reported: Ts.  
5,500,000; Dairen, Ts. 4,900,000;  
Hankow, Ts. 3,600,000; Shanghai,  
Ts. 1,800,000; Kiaochow, Ts. 1,600,000;  
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and Swatow, Ts. 110,000. The  
Maritime Customs Revenue, year  
amounted to Ts. 29,500,000, being  
an increase of three and a half millions  
on that of the previous year. The  
gold equivalent of last year's collec-  
tion is two and a half millions  
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## SHANGHAI "TRENCHES."

## THE CLOSING ORDER.

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the part of the foreign community, the  
Chinese authorities have resolved that  
the "Trenches" be closed. An im-  
portant part was played in this  
agitation by Mr. F. J. Schult, Com-  
missioner of the U. S. Court, who in a  
recent case remarked that he hoped  
that the "Trenches" would be closed.  
As a result of this agitation,  
General Ho Feng-ling, Military  
Governor of Shanghai and Song-  
kian, issued orders to the Police and  
Law Courts under his jurisdiction,  
instructing them to notify all pro-  
prietors of houses in the "Trench"  
district that the places must be closed  
within a period of one month.

## SURPRISING NEGLIGENCE.

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directly under our jurisdiction and  
administration, it is very surprising  
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not take steps to prohibit such  
business long ago in order to avoid  
criticism and attacks from foreig-  
ners. . . . If we wish to maintain  
our national dignity and the con-  
fidence which has been placed in us  
by both foreigners and our own  
people, we must get to the root of  
the trouble and do what we can to  
prevent such occurrences in future."  
Wherefore all concerned are here-  
by notified that these bars and dance  
halls are to be closed within a period  
of one month, failing which they will  
be forcibly closed and sealed up by  
the authorities. All licences are here-  
by withdrawn and business of this  
sort is forbidden hereafter.

In connection with this order, it will  
be interesting to note how the bar-  
rooms in the "Trenches" are trying  
to evade the 12 o'clock closing law.  
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with interest.

Practically the entire foreign  
community of Kobe was at the  
Kasugaboh Cemetery on Sunday week  
last to attend the funeral service of  
the late Mr. Alfred Woolley, O.B.E.,  
for 30 years chief agent for the  
Peninsular and Oriental Steam  
Navigation Company in Japan, who  
died at his home in Kobe. The Rev.  
Walter Nash of All Saints' Church  
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**MOWERAY S. NORTHCOTE,**  
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The Marine Engineers' Guild of China, at Shanghai has made a presentation to its late secretary, Mr. J. F. Reid, on the occasion of his forthcoming marriage.

Mr. Brooks and Mr. Elliott are kindly helping the St. Andrew's Church boy scout troop in ambulance and bugling instruction. The Church Monthly Messenger declares: Patient! Ye Kowloon residents, during these days of bugle practice. It is a boy Scout Troop!

At the pianoforte recital by Professor Sklarievi at St. Andrew's Hall in the City Hall, this afternoon, the programme will be: I. Gluck-Saint Seans Capriccio on the motive from the ballet "Alceste"; II. Chopin (a) Improvis. F. sharp major; (b) Nocturne C minor; (c) Etude, E major; (d) Ballade, A flat major; III. Liszt—"Death of Isolde"; IV.—Schubert—"Tausig—Marche Militaire."

In the Summary Court this morning, before the Peking Judge, Mr. Justice Wood, judgment with costs was given for the plaintiff in the suit of Yee Tai Hong of 154-158 Wing Lok Street against Yim Yik Fang, of 74 Queen's Road Central. The claim was for \$1,000 alleged to have been borrowed by the defendant on February 25, 1920. Mr. Gardiner appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Tinslen for the defendant.

Before Commander C. W. Beckwith, R.N., at the Marine Court on Saturday, Captain C. S. Lillister, of the s.s. "Singan," was summoned by Dr. Key, Health Officer of the Port, for failing to fly the yellow flag (Q) on the ship, the same being a healthy vessel, on the morning of January 7. Defendant pleaded ignorance of the existence of quarantine in Hongkong, as this was his first trip from Saigon to the Colony, and produced a clean health record for his ship. Commander Beckwith advised defendant to see the British Consul at Saigon in connection with the local health regulations in future and dismissed the case.

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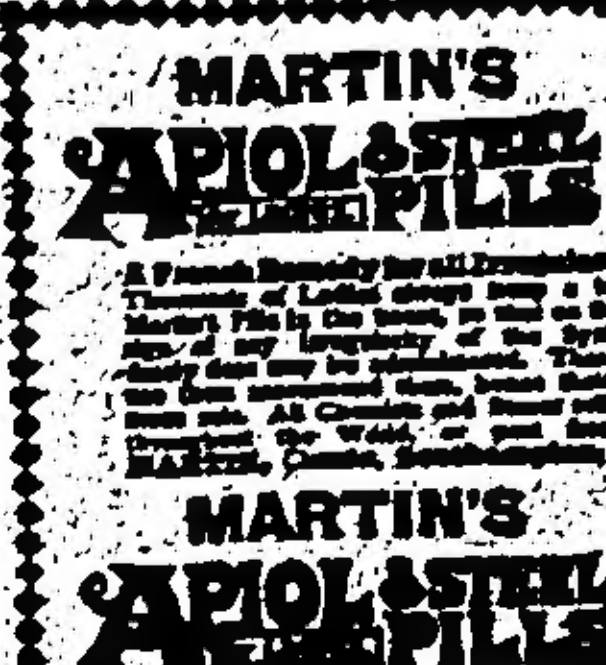
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## THE HUMAN BOY.

One day last week a boy informed his father that he wanted to buy a rabbit. There is certainly nothing outrageous or even extraordinary in that. Every normal human boy at some time or other has the impulse to buy, or at least to acquire, a rabbit, and to own it. It is in the matter of feeding and bedding and cleaning such pets that the normal boy is apt to be indignant. He covets the rabbit, has visions of caressing its soft fur, of watching it. He doesn't know it, but a primal instinct is at work here. He doesn't think of the duties that will attach to ownership. Larger boys are sometimes like that when they think of acquiring a wife. They think of all the nice things appertaining to wife possession, but not of the responsibilities. Now this rabbit-desiring boy would soon return to school, so the father, indulgent enough as a rule, explained why his son should not at this time take a rabbit to his home. Still the boy didn't see. How should he, when his vision was full of the prospect of the rabbit, its transparent pink ears, its pink eyes, its fluffy fur, its quaintly puckering nose. It was heart-moving to hear his beloved pleas. "Please, Daddy." The father gave him money to buy anything he liked but a rabbit; and perhaps he may have wondered why the boy's face was not irradiated with gratitude. It was a parable of Home society, of epitome of capital (with its attendant statecraft) and labour. The father was quite right, of course. This case. He had very good reasons for his prohibition.

But suppose that instead of merely desiring a rabbit the boy had really needed a rabbit. Suppose that for the good of his soul he should have had a rabbit, and nothing but a rabbit. In that case his father would have been wrong, very wrong. What use is fifty cents to a rabbitless boy, whose soul hungers for rabbits, because it needs rabbits as a mode of development and growth? The case is at least thinkable.

The Bible speaks about people asking for bread being given a stone. Not a stone weight, not fourteen pounds of eatable bread, but a lithic fragment. It is difficult to imagine anyone being so mean and malicious as to offer a pebble to a starving child. It is difficult to think of a man being so foolish as to offer a starving woman a diamond tiara. It would be as stupid of a man to put off his rabbit-requiring son with half a dollar's worth of marbles. The young man asking for the hand of his bride should not be insulted by a refusal coupled with the offer of the loan of the lawn-mower. Yet that is what happens, and has been happening for quite a long while, when British Labour has asked for things essential to it. As it happens, the rabbit was not necessary for the well-being of the boy, but the British worker really cannot be happy without the metaphorical rabbit he has demanded. He cannot be a good British workman without them.

He has asked for more leisure, and capital has offered a little more money, and that conditional on increased production. He has asked for a higher standard of living, and capital has offered him anything but that. He has asked for housing, and has been given a new Government Department. The list could be extended. Principles have never been considered at all, but only selfish expediency; and hanging has begun the regular response to heart cries and demands com-

called by necessity. The plain result now is that what was not granted is being taken, and the current decade is certain to see large political changes in our constitution. In the making of such change the hitherto possessive classes must suffer some injustice, as the price of their stupidity in the past.

## INJUSTICE TO MICAWBER.

This morning's *Morning Post* advises people who can afford it to build their own homes here, as a good investment. Its writer does not believe that we have reached the crest of the wave in rents and property values, nor that there is to be a slump, and anticipates "the discomfiture of the wiseacre Micawbers who predict a slump." He may be right in his forecast of the future, but is he not unjust to our old friend Micawber? Wilkins Micawber Esquire was hardly the type for whom we use the contemptuously ironic title "wiseacre"; but if that point be waived, he was certainly not the type of man who predicts slumps. He was over a bull, never a bear. He was one of those unpractical, half-clever, sanguine men who are so numerous in journalism, and Dickens ought to have made him a colonial newspaper writer instead of a colonial magistrate.

## KWANGTUNG COAL.

## AN OPEN LETTER.

To H.E. General Chup Kwang Ming, Civil Governor, etc., Kwangtung Province, Canton.

Dear Sir,—I have travelled much over the Province of Kwangtung in the search for minerals, visiting most of the districts from Swatow to Ping Shek, and been always well received and well treated by the natives—never having an escort, and never carrying any arms, trusting myself entirely to the people, and my confidence has never been misplaced.

I am writing this note to inform your Excellency that your Government have no need to be anxious about your finances—because, if you only reserve your mineral rights—so that the Chinese can develop and work the valuable resources on an equal basis and jointly with foreigners—both actually putting up or subscribing their 50 per cent. of the capital, as required—and acquiring land mining rights from the legitimate owners, with the approval of the Government, in a fair and square manner—and registering the Company with the Minister of Commerce, or of Mining if one is appointed—many companies can be floated, instead of one, and a continual stream of taxes flow into your Treasury. The other nations of the world are aware of the vast resources of raw materials in China, which they are badly in want of, and which are practically untouched, therefore as an old resident in Hongkong and South China, who has seen, and knows personally what are to be found in Kwangtung! I would respectfully tender you my best and sincere advice—to consider, and ponder very seriously over—turning it over very many times, and for a long time—before being a party to any agreement, which may tend to hinder, and stop the free and independent development of the business side of mining—between Chinese and foreigners—to their mutual benefit, and to that of your Government for the next century. It is not for a day only, but for 100 years, remember, and against the great principles of right and justice of a free people, which Kwangtung was the first to advocate and fight for, and your Excellency was one of its leaders then, and is still. Great responsibility, therefore, rests on your shoulders as to whether the Chinese shall trade and do business in mining, etc., with any right person with absolute freedom in the future, or not, or by the permission of, or through one syndicate of capitalists, i.e., 4 foreigners and 3 Chinese! only.

What have made my own country, Scotland, with a very small area in square miles, and its people, over three millions only—have such an influence on the destinies of the whole world, and contributed greatly to the country's success—freedom, an independent spirit, education, coal, iron, etc. You can thus see what great possibilities lie with, and before your hard-working, intelligent and industrious 30 millions of inhabitants if allowed similar privileges—and, to do what is right with them—unminded, uncrippled, unfettered, at the very dawn, by any unjust arrangement with any individuals, that would affect the liberties of the present, rising and future generations of Kwangtungese!

This open letter is written in a friendly spirit to your Excellency and your countrymen. Wishing you "Happy New Year."—I am, dear Sir, yours faithfully,

Scott.

Hongkong, Dec. 31, 1930.

[Editorial Note.—This letter is published on our assurance that parties in Canton are trying for a new edition of this letter composed.]

## THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/11 15/16  
To-day's opening rate 3/ 3/16

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A clean bill of health was returned for the Colony on Saturday.

One case of enteric fever, British, and one case of paratyphoid fever, Indian, were reported on Friday.

Among the Naval men going home on the "Bremen" on Tuesday next, is "Eddie" Walters, well known in local boxing circles.

A tea for the Sunday school children of St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, is to be a farewell to Miss Neave who severs her connection with the school in view of her approaching marriage.

A pianoforte recital is being given at St. Andrew's Hall, City Hall, by Professor Sklarewski, this afternoon. The programme includes compositions by Czernov, Borodin, Rubinstein, Balakirev and Chopin.

According to St. Andrew's Church (Kowloon) *Monthly Messenger*, the General Secretary of Dr. Barnardo's Homes writes, "Hearty thanks to our generous friends at Kowloon for their generous contribution to our 'Children's Food Fund.' The amount sent was £78. 15. 8, the Homes benefiting considerably by the high rate of exchange."

By a Presidential Decree issued on February 25, 1920, the Government of Chile created a Consulate General in China, appointing Mr. E. R. Hurreus to the post. The Peking President has granted him the corresponding recognition, and the office of the Consulate General for Chile in Canton has been established as from January 6, in No. 55, French Concession, in Shanghai.

Deferring to the wishes of foreign steamers entering Wuchow by the West River to be searched by the Customs authorities instead of by Kwangsi military officers, the Peking Government assured the British Legation that it would communicate with the Kwangsi officials, according to a Canton press report. Recently the British consular authorities in Canton made complaint to Peking regarding this matter.

A Shanghai pilot who went down to Wuchow on Saturday, in response to a special message, to bring a Japanese vessel up river, had an unusual experience. He discovered that the crew of the vessel were celebrating the New Year in high style, most of them being drunk, and was not permitted to board the ship. The captain was nowhere to be seen, and the pilot accordingly had to return to Shanghai.

American soldiers, according to a report received by the Japanese Foreign Office from Tientsin, says the *Japan Advertiser*, broke down the doors and gates of a Japanese house in the Japanese concession in Tientsin on December 15. The Foreign Office states that the matter has been amicably settled between the consuls of Japan and the United States resident in Tientsin, that the incident is closed and that no claims will be presented as the damage done is very small. The Foreign Office also states that the reports appearing in the vernacular press here are extremely exaggerated, sacrificing truth for the sake of procuring dramatic elements for a sensational story.

## LOCAL WEDDING.

## ODELL-WEILL.

At the Ohel Leah Synagogue yesterday Mr. Harry Odell, manager of Messrs. Getz Bros. and Co. (of the Orient) Ltd., was married to Miss Sophie Weill, eldest daughter of Mr. Albert Weill, the well known jeweller, and Mrs. Weill.

The bride who was given away by her father was prettily dressed in a costume of champagne lace and beads, made by the Maison Lily. She was attended by three bridesmaids, Misses Suzanne Weill, Lily Dunn and Eddie Moses, all of whom looked charming in frocks of white net trimmed with pink daisies. Mr. W. Goldenberg performed the duties of best man.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the Jewish Recreation Club. A feature of the reception was the magnificent wedding cake, six tiered and weighing 300 lbs., supplied by Messrs. Wiseman Ltd. The honeymoon is being spent in Manila. Mrs. Odell travelled in a smart beige costume. The happy couple were the recipients of many handshakes and valuable presents.

## FANCY DRESS BALL.

## VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

## AN ENJOYABLE EVENING.

The Fancy Dress Ball at the Victoria Recreation Club on Saturday night, intended to be the first of a series, was a pretty affair, and augurs well for the functions of the future. More than two hundred members and their friends were present in costumes of every land and period. Many of the costumes displayed great originality. All of them were effective, and the scene on the dance floor when the Ball was at its height was gay and colourful.

The gymnasium of the club had been transformed by a tasteful arrangement of bright bunting. Dancing began at 9.30, and lasted until the early hours of the morning, interrupted only by the fancy dress parade and supper. Following were adjudged the winners in the contest for the best costumes:

Ladies: Vivandiere (Miss E. Cornell); Early Victorian (Miss A. Blake); Flower Girl (Mrs W. G. Clarke); Miss F. Simmons (as a Jockey) was awarded fourth place.

Gentlemen: Vegetable Seller (Mr. P. Beasley); Harlequin (Mr. D. C. Logan); 2: Simplicitas (Mr. W. Drude).

Messrs. B. L. Frost, H. A. Harper, A. Morkensen, and T. Mack judged the dresses of the ladies and the men's costumes were judged by a committee of ladies consisting of Mrs. B. L. Frost, Mrs. W. G. Clarke, Mrs. R. C. Wiltchell, Mrs. J. W. Kew, and Mrs. Mackay.

In introducing Mrs. B. L. Frost, who distributed the prizes, Mr. Wiltchell, the Hon. Secretary, referred to the difficult task with which the judges were confronted in making their selections, owing to the splendid variety of costumes. He tendered the thanks of the Committee to the ladies on the Refreshment Committee who had provided the excellent supper, to the gentlemen who had donated the prizes, and to the orchestra. After Mrs. Frost had handed out the prizes, three cheers were given.

The programme of dances was as follows:

- 1—Waltz—Oh what a pal was Mary!
- 2—One Step—Stop it!
- 3—Fox Trot—Vegetarian Moon.
- 4—Waltz—Naughty Waltz.
- 5—One Step—Swanee.
- 6—Fox Trot—Whispering.
- 7—One Step—Hiawatha's Melody of Love.
- 8—Lancers—Good Luck.
- 9—Waltz—Geraldine.
- 10—One Step—Oh by Jingo.
- 11—Fox Trot—Oriental.
- 12—One Step—Take your Girl to the Movies.
- 13—Fox Trot—Tell me little Gipsy.
- 14—Waltz—Persuasion.
- 15—Fox Trot—Planning.
- 16—One Step—Castro.
- 17—Fox Trot—Jokerloo.
- 18—Waltz—L'Esprit de Francias.
- 19—Fox Trot—Mary.
- 20—One Step—It's a Sad Heart that never Rejoices.
- 21—Fox Trot—Lancashire Jazz Band.
- 22—One Step—Oh Helen!
- First Extra—Lancers.
- Second Extra—Fox Trot.
- Third Extra—Waltz.

The dance committee consisted of Messrs. D. M. Goodall, A. H. Carroll, M. A. Carvalho, and R. C. Wiltchell. The refreshments and supper committee consisted of Mrs. Mackay, Mrs. W. G. Clark, and Mrs. R. C. Wiltchell.

For the success of the Ball, credit was due to Mr. Wiltchell, the Hon. Secretary, and to Mrs. Wiltchell, Mrs. Clarke, and other who assisted, also to Commander Kilgour for his loan of the flags and supervision of the decorations.

## CHINESE BAZAAR.

## CHARITY FUNCTION.

SALE TO BE CONTINUED FOR A WEEK.

Large patronage was extended yesterday to the big bazaar at the new Chung Wah vernacular school, next to Man Mo Temple on Hollywood Road, organized by the Confucian Society and the Tung Wah Hospital to raise money for the relief of the destitute in the war-devastated villages in the South and the famine stricken districts in the North.

The sale, which will be conducted for a week, offers a wide variety of useful and pretty articles, including fancy goods, embroideries and big framed pictures. A large quantity of needlework was sent by Chinese girls students, many of whom acted as sales ladies at the respective stalls.

In addition to the stalls there were other attractions, including cinema and Chinese theatrical performances and exhibitions of Chinese boxing. Opposite the school was erected a bamboo structure in which was laid what was described as an ancient Chinese strategic plan. The admission fee is 50 cents, and a prize is given to any person who can reach a platform in the centre, which is surrounded by a large number of small doors arranged in a manner calculated to confuse the visitor. The difficulty of reaching the platform is aggravated by the maze of alleys, formed of bamboo, running across each other.

## HONGKONG UNIVERSITY.

## MATRICULATION RESULTS.

## SENIOR AND JUNIOR LOCAL RESULTS.

The following are the results of the Matriculation, Senior and Junior Local Examinations held in December, 1930.

## MATRICULATION EXAMINATION.

Richard Lee, No. 3 (Diocesan Boys' School), Kenneth M. Tyson, No. 4 (Diocesan Boys' School), William Graham Lawson, No. 7, H.K. Tutorial and Educational Institute, Tan Tien-see, No. 8, H.K. Tutorial and Educational Institute, Hsu Shing-ching, No. 9, Hongkong University, Tim Bae-yen, No. 12, Hongkong University, Lee Fung-ying, No. 13, Private Study, A. G. Abbas, No. 19, St. Joseph's College, Tsang Kue-shun, No. 20, St. Stephen's College, Douglas Laing, No. 21, Queen's College.

The following candidates have failed in the Matriculation Examination, but are entitled to a Senior Local Certificate:—  
Delano Lopes, No. 2 (Diocesan Boys' School), (Dist. in English), Jal Pestonjee Cooper, No. 18, (St. Joseph's College).

## SENIOR LOCAL EXAMINATION.

## PASS LIST—(BOYS).

Tso See-leung, No. 23, St. Paul's College, Wong Ping-in, No. 24, St. Paul's College, Au King, No. 25, Ying Wah College, Yung Po-hang, No. 27, Ying Wah College, (Dist. in Chinese).

## SENIOR LOCAL EXAMINATION.

## PASS LIST—(GIRLS).

No. 30, Florence Elizabeth George, Kowloon British School, No. 31, Bernice Chenailoy, Bellifos Public School, No. 32, Ethelyn Chenailoy, Bellifos Public School, No. 33, Kwai Wai Fong, Bellifos Public School, (Dist. in Needlework and Drawing), No. 34, Luciola Lopes, Bellifos Public School, No. 35, Tung Lau Nuan, Bellifos Public School, No. 36, Lybia Vaa, Bellifos Public School, (Dist. in Needlework), No. 37, Lena Choa, Diocesan Girls' School.

## JUNIOR LOCAL EXAMINATION.

## PASS LIST—(BOYS).

No. 86, Jafar Hoosen, Queen's College, No. 87, Wan Yuet-ming, Queen's College, No. 88, Wong Woon-pui, Queen's College, No. 89, Chin Yung-ik, Queen's College, (Dist. in Arithmetic), No. 94, Wong Kum-hing, Queen's College, No. 96, Leung Wai-yen, Queen's College, No. 101, Wong Wing-tong, Queen's College, No. 104, Lau Ming-cheung, Queen's College, No. 105, Tang Wing, Queen's College, (Dist. in History), No. 108, Joe I. Edgar, H.K. Tutorial and Educational Institute, (Dist. in History), No. 109, Wei Nafu, H.K. Tutorial and Educational Institute, (Dist. in Chinese), No. 113, Wan Wai-choi, Private Study, No. 114, Ng Han Sin, Private Study, No. 115, Chan Pak-chuen, No. 116, Ma Wai-man, Private Study, No. 117, Lam Tze-ying, Private Study, (Dist. in Chinese), No. 118, Lui Pak-him, Private Study, (Dist. in Arithmetic), No. 120, Chan Ki-yuen, Private Study, (Dist. in Chinese), No. 162, Lee Kwai-wing, Private Study, (Dist. in History and Biblical Knowledge), No. 166, Wong Pak-fun, Private Study, No. 169, Sydney Jack Flegg, Victoria British School, No. 170, John Arthur Colest, Kowloon British School, No. 171, Borge Richard Rasmussen, Kowloon British School, No. 172, Donald Ogilvie, Kowloon British School, No. 176, Young Fook-ping, Wah Yan School, (Dist. in Chinese), No. 180, Jose Maria Alves, St. Joseph's College, (Dist. in arithmetic), No. 181, Henrique da Silva, St. Joseph's College, No. 226, But Chit, Ying Wah College, (Dist. in Chinese).

## JUNIOR LOCAL EXAMINATION.

## PASS LIST—(GIRLS).

No. 185, Ivy Thelma Alice Musso, Victoria British School, No. 186, Suzanne Weill, Kowloon British School, No. 187, Frances Evelyn Dunn, Kowloon British School, (Dist. in Biblical Knowledge), No. 188, Pearl Ogilvie, Kowloon British School, No. 189, Elsa Robson Bell, Kowloon British School, Grace Lee, No. 190, Diocesan Girls' School, (Dist. in Needlework), Emma Fauster Remedios, No. 191, Diocesan Girls' School, Aurea Christina Sousa, No. 192, Diocesan Girls' School, Elizabeth Jo Syn-wong, No. 193, Diocesan Girls' School, Julia Lu Chai-wong, No. 194, Diocesan Girls' School, (Dist. in Drawing), Wei Kam-lun, No. 195, (Bellifos Public School), Alice Maria Gutierrez, No. 196, (Bellifos Public School), Greta Mooney, No. 197, (Bellifos Public School), No. 198, Mercedes Rosario, Bellifos Public School, No. 199, Ivy Adeline Chenailoy, Bellifos Public School, (Dist. in Biblical Knowledge), No. 200, Julia Gutierrez, Bellifos Public School, No. 202, Wong-kwai-fong.

## BILLIARDS.

## EXHIBITION BY MR. GRAY.

## PLAYS AT CHINESE CLUB.

An interesting exhibition of billiards was given on Saturday night at the Chinese Club by Mr. George Gray, the expert player, when he conceded Mr. Leung Kan-kong, ex-champion of the Colony, 300 in 700 up and beat him by 71 points.

As many as could find accommodation were present to watch the performance. Among those present were several ladies and European visitors. Sir Robert Ho Tung was there; also Mr. P. Yvanovich, present champion of the Colony, who meets Mr. Gray at the V.R.C. on Saturday night. Mr. J. M. Wong, Chairman of the Chinese Club, introduced Mr. Gray, who was cordially welcomed.

The best breaks were:  
Mr. Gray—32, 61, 44, 40, 40, 36, 35, 34, 28, 23, 19, 13, 17, 16, 15, 13, 13, 12, 11, 10, 10.

Mr. Leung—32, 22, 20, 19, 18, 16, 16, 15, 15, 15, 12.

Usually Mr. Gray concedes 400 in 700, but lowered it to 300 in this case because of the good reputation that amateur skill in Hongkong enjoys. The playing generally was good, and at times of an exceedingly high order. No doubt it would have been better if it had not been for the fact that in moving the table into a larger room to accommodate the crowd, it had been thrown slightly off the level. Mr. Gray made the observation that the table was good, but not true, and investigation later proved this to be the case. Play started at 8.10 and ended at 10.20. It took Mr. Gray 130 minutes to make his 700. He made 100 in about eight minutes.

Mr. Gray did little spectacular playing, contenting himself with steady, consistent work. Several of Mr. Leung's plays brought loud plaudits from the house.

At the conclusion of the game Mr. Gray gave an exhibition of mass shots, scoring from many difficult positions. He illustrated the possibilities of position playing by bringing all three balls together after considerable travelling and did some cannons along the cushion. Striking each ball in succession he made them cannon in flight, and with some trick problems had the crowd amused. He explained that his one aim now was to simplify the game for the amateur, who should play better. His strong advice was plain billiards, without attempting angles and screwing. The four things to be observed were stance, bridge, holding the cue, and delivery, and he gave practical demonstrations, making up an interesting talk on the fundamentals of the game.

In conclusion he performed tricks with the pool ball basket, firing the red in and then the white, making the latter remain while the red came out again.

## SHOOTING.

## H. K. V. D. C. PRACTICE.

The following are the results of a practice shoot for places in the team to represent the H. K. V. D. C. in their match against the R. N. Dockyard next Saturday at Kim's Park Range. The R. N. Dockyard who are the holders of the League Championship, may expect a good fight from the H. K. V. D. C. when they meet.

200 500 600 Total  
Mr. Grimes ..... 49 47 138  
" Lyon ..... 41 43 131  
" F. Goodman 43 44 131  
" R. Goodman 37 45 125  
" Rodwell ..... 45 40 118  
" Frith ..... 45 33 117  
" Young ..... 39 40 114  
" Wells ..... 39 43 113


Counted out.  
Mr. Shaw ..... 43 39 29 111  
" Thornhill ..... 35 36 37 108  
" Gow ..... 37 39 31 107

The unlawful possession of a roll of cloth stolen from No. 31 Queen's Road East on the night of January 7, this morning, cost a Chinese three months' hard labour, in spite of his assertion that he bought the cloth from a friend who, recently arrived from Swatow. As there was insufficient evidence against him, a second Chinese whom Sergeant Kelly thought to be a tool of the first, was discharged by Magistrate Orme, with a warning that he would find himself in jail if he did not change his mode of life.

Bellifos Public School, (Dist. in Biblical Knowledge and Needlework), No. 203, Bertha Yau, Bellifos Public School, No. 204, Beatrice dos Santos, Bellifos Public School, No. 205, Lau-shuk-ying, Bellifos Public School, No. 206, Molly Rahman, Private Study, (Dist. in Arithmetic), No. 208, Minnie Doodha, Diocesan Girls' School.



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## THEATRE ROYAL

CHEFALO AND PALERMO.

THE WONDERS OF MAGIC.

Chefalo and Palermo, the magicians whose appearance in Hongkong has been eagerly awaited, opened their season triumphantly at the Theatre Royal on Saturday night. Every seat was taken, and a number of persons were turned away for lack of room. H.E. the Governor and Lady Stubbs attended, and followed the many mysterious happenings with evidence of keen interest.

For the first half of the programme Chefalo and his personal assistants occupied the stage. He works briskly, and held the attention of the audience every moment, supplementing his remarkable feats of legendariness with original comment that was almost as convincing as his tricks. As for the tricks themselves—it would be a lengthy task even to enumerate them, without attempting to describe them. Articles of every description appeared from most unlikely places, and disappeared with equal mystery. There appeared to be nothing that he could not do with playing cards, and the large audience quite believed him when he humorously volunteered to take a hand in a poker game with anybody who might still be unconvinced. When he was tired of the cards, he turned to a series of tricks that captivated as well by their ingenuity as by the skill with which they were performed. The audience fully appreciated the application of the quotation from Elbert Hubbard with which the printed programme was introduced: "What you know can't happen, does happen. And though you don't believe it you see it." From a small box, seemingly no larger than a cigar box, and resting on what appeared to be a frail card table, he produced articles sufficient to stock a store, ranging from poultry to boxes of sweets. In full view of the audience he apparently wrestled the heads off a duck and a rooster, tossed the bodies and heads into separate boxes, and a moment later produced them alive again—though with the wrong heads. He borrowed rings and watches and laid them carefully in a box, then almost instantly recovered them from a container that was hanging from the ceiling above the heads of the audience. He asked the audience to give him five short sentences, and almost as soon as they were uttered clipped the finger from a glove suspended on a ribbon, and out of this the surprised spectator to whom it was handed took a slip of paper on which the five sentences were already written. These and many other tricks he did in rapid succession, as fast as one was concluded turning to another.

Following an intermission, the stage was taken by Palermo, in the "Garden of Mystery," in itself noteworthy for the beauty of the setting. It was an Egyptian scene, and for his initial appearance, Palermo came on as an Egyptian princess. She performed miracles with apparently inexhaustible water pitchers. She withdrew, and returned a moment later in an entirely new costume to perform another trick, equally mysterious. Time after time she did this, on each occasion coming on the stage in a different costume. All of them were beautiful, and all to the observer, bewilderingly complicated. Her contribution to the entertainment of the evening would have been remarkable if she had done nothing more than her many surprising quick changes of costume.

One of the most attractive acts of the evening came after the close of her display in the "Garden of Mystery," in which Chefalo joined her, when she appeared alone in a Spanish dance. It was an exceptionally graceful performance. When this was concluded, she danced with Chefalo the original Argentine tango.

The programme came to an end with a laughable performance, most of it unprepared, by a number of members of the audience who had responded to Chefalo's invitation to join him on the stage. Their efforts to get up from their chairs, to take a few steps, and to jump in the air—when Chefalo yelled that they should not—kept the audience highly amused.

A number of new acts will be produced at the performance to-night.

## ATTACKED WITH CHOPPERS.

SLEEPING MEN GASHED.

UNKNOWN ASSAILANT'S ESCAPE.

Suffering from cut wounds on their heads alleged to have been inflicted with choppers while they were asleep, two Chinese living on the ground floor of a house in Sharp Street were removed this morning to the Government Civil Hospital. By whom the attack was made and why are at present not known.

## MISSING YACHTSMEN.

BECALMED AT NIGHT.

SAFE RETURN TO HONGKONG.

Anxiety was felt this morning for the safety of Mr. S. Berg, manager of Thoresen & Co., Shipping Agents, Mr. E. Riis, and Mr. H. Olsen, who started off yesterday in the sailing yacht "Mist" for a trip around the island, and failed to return. It was finally discovered that they had been becalmed, and forced to spend the night at anchor in D'Aguiar Bay. They reached Hongkong about noon to-day.

## STREET ACCIDENT.

CAR AND TRAM COLLIDE.

CHAUFFEUR BADLY INJURED.

About 12.30 this morning, an accident which resulted in the removal of the driver of a motor car to hospital in a serious condition, occurred on the tram lines in Des Voeux Road, opposite the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. It appears that the motor car, the number of which has not been ascertained, was crossing the tram lines in front of a tram when, the driver, finding that he had misjudged the space between the tram and one of the standards, with the result that he could not clear the line in time, tried to back the car. This move was not anticipated by the motorman of the tram, who, when he saw the danger of a collision applied the brakes, too late. The vehicles collided. The motor car which was jammed between the tram and the standard was badly crushed. The force of the impact caused the chauffeur to be thrown out of his seat on to the road where he was picked up unconscious. Traffic was impeded for some little time until the crippled motor car was towed away.

## ARMS AMONG RAISINS.

CONTRABAND SEIZED.

WOMAN WITH REVOLVERS SENT TO JAIL.

The discovery, in consequence of information received, of a revolver and 200 rounds of .32 ammunition in a box labelled "Ore" Brand California Raisins in the cargo hold, and an automatic Colt pistol under clothing in the sleeping quarters of a passenger sampan lying alongside No. 5 Wharf and the Kowloon Godowns yesterday, led to the appearance before Magistrate Orme this morning of a Chinese woman charged with the unlawful possession of the contraband. The Chinese constable who made the discovery testified that the accused was present when he found the contraband.

The accused denied that she was present when the contraband was found. She said that she was busy in another part of the boat.

The Magistrate remarked that the case was an unusual one.

Inspector Spear admitted this, but said that there was no doubt that the accused knew the contraband was on board. He was of the opinion that the arms and ammunition were brought to the Colony by the "Empress" boat yesterday, and that the accused was paid to take them ashore. The Magistrate: There is no doubt that the contraband was intended for the country, I suppose?

Inspector Spear: No. The Magistrate: You think that there was a suspicion that an armed robbery at the godown had been planned?

Inspector Spear: No. The woman was fined \$300 or in default three months' hard labour. The contraband was confiscated.

## "SUNNING'S" ACCIDENT.

NO DAMAGE DONE.

VESSEL PROCEEDS TO CANTON.

When entering the harbour early yesterday morning with about 200 Chinese passengers on board from Shanghai, the China Navigation Co.'s steamer "Sunning" struck the rocks near Cape d'Aguiar, but was able to proceed to anchor near Taikoo Docks for an examination which revealed that no damage had been done.

The vessel is proceeding to Canton as usual and will be docked here in the ordinary course for her annual overhauling which was due in any case on her return to Hongkong.

## SERIOUS EXPLOSIONS.

TWO YESTERDAY.

FIRE CRACKER FACTORY WRECKED.

An explosion which resulted in the death of two Chinese girls aged 18 and 16 respectively, and serious injuries to several other people, occurred in the Hoi Sang firecracker factory in Homantin yesterday. Details of the accident give no cause for the explosion. The factory, in the old Small Fox Hospital building, was completely wrecked. The Yau-mat police, under Inspector Caygill, were early on the scene, but on their arrival they discovered that the wounded had already been removed by their relatives. Consequently it was impossible to ascertain the number of people injured in the explosion. The two dead bodies were found among the debris, and removed to the Kowloon mortuary.

Another explosion took place at No. 107, Belfour Street, West Point, about 3.25 p.m., yesterday, also in premises occupied by firecracker manufacturers. In this instance there were no deaths, but one man was removed to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from very serious injuries. The force of the explosion wrecked the staircase leading to the first floor of the house and shattered all the window panes of the houses in the vicinity.

## ROYAL ITALIAN CIRCUS.

SEASON NEARING END.

CHANGES OF PROGRAMME.

Bostock's Royal Italian Circus, has provided Hongkong with an excellent entertainment since it opened on Christmas Day, and announces that there remain but a few days more of its season here. "By far the best thing of its kind that has been seen in this part of the world for many a day, it has proved immensely popular with the residents of the Colony. This appreciation has been well deserved. The acts are uniformly good, and one can not help but be entertained and thrilled. The programme is changed frequently, so that one can well afford to go several times. The circus is showing at Ming Yuen Gardens, North Point, and giving two performances daily, at 5 p.m. and 9.15 p.m.

## TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.

LOST—FUR GLOVE, on afternoon of 7th, outside Wellington Barracks. Will finder kindly return to H. C. "CHINA MAIL."

## HONGKONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.

NOTICE.

RIFLE MEETING.

A Rifle Meeting will be held on King's Park Range on 29th and 30th January. (All Corners Competition) Open to all Corners will be fired on Saturday, 29th.

Distance 200, 500 and 600 yards 10 shots at each Range. Entrance Fee 50 cents. Entries to be sent to Gunner C. E. Frith R/o Sanitary Department Office, P.O. Building, not later than Saturday, 15th January, 1921.

G. F. E. RAPSON, Bt. Major, Adjutant, H. K. V. D. Corps. Hongkong, January 10, 1921.

## BILLIARDS.

Mr. GEORGE GRAY, World renowned Billiardist.

Mr. T. B. GOLDING, at the V.R.C.

TUESDAY, the 11th instant and Mr. P. YANOVICH, on THURSDAY, 13th instant. Commencing at 9.15 p.m. Sharp. Reserved Seats can be booked at the V.R.C. \$5, \$3 and \$2.

R. C. WITCHELL, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, January 10, 1921.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction (For account of the concerned) on

## SATURDAY,

January 15, 1921, at 12 noon, at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voeux Road, Corner of Lee Horse Street. Two thorough bred Pointers. As follows:— "DANDY" a liver and white dog, 3½ years old, by a Field Trial Winner out of a Field Trial Winner. "GLORY" a liver and white pointer bitch, 2 years old, both dogs imported from England this year, good workers and sold only because owner is leaving the Colony.

On view day of sale

HUGHES & ROUGH, Auctioneers. Hongkong, January 10, 1921.

## TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LTD. OF DENMARK. HONGKONG STATION.

I have TO-DAY handed over charge of this Station to Mr. T. KRING. N. LUND, Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, January 10, 1921.

THE GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LTD. OF DENMARK. HONGKONG STATION.

I have TO-DAY taken over charge of this Station. T. KRING, Superintendent. Hongkong, January 10, 1921.

## NOTICE.

THIS is to inform the General Public that I, the undersigned, have not given any authority to any person or persons to sign my firm's name of JOSEPH BROS. or my own private name.

EDWARD MENASHIN JOSEPH, Hongkong, January 10, 1921.

## NOTICE.

OWING to the present HIGH COST of living and the DIFFICULTY of living on the present scale of WAGES, we have requested our respective employers to grant us an increase to pay of 30 per cent. THE LADIES' DRESS MAKERS GUILD. Hongkong, January 10, 1921.

NIFFON YUSEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM EUROPE AND STRAITS.

THE Company's Steamship, "YOKOHAMA MARU," having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon, To-DAY. Goods not cleared by the 17th January, 1921, will be subject to rent. Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Co's. representative at an appointed hour on TUESDAY and FRIDAY. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.

NIFFON YUSEN KAISHA. Agents.

Hongkong, January 10, 1921.

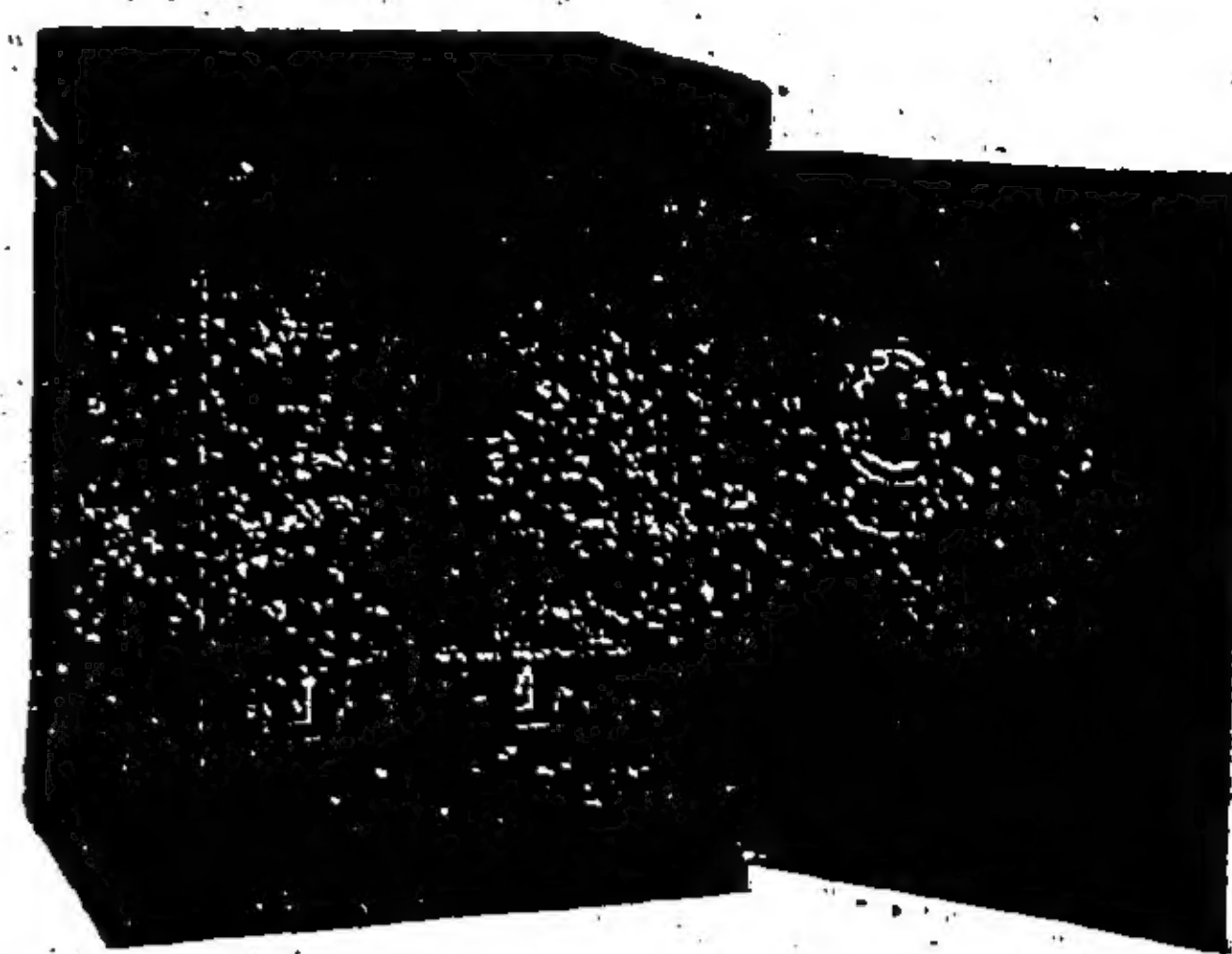
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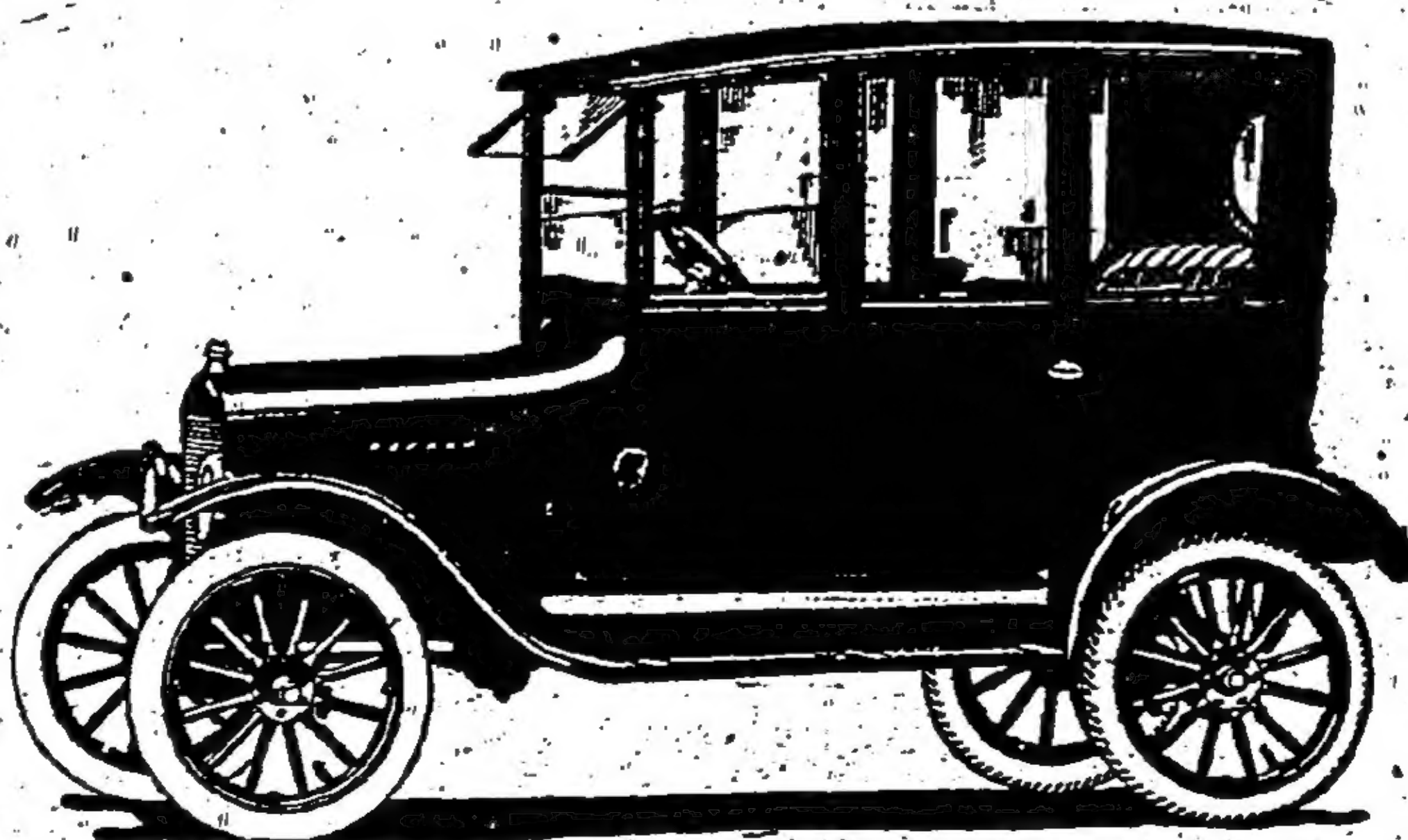
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AMOI, SHANGHAI & PUKOW	SEIKO	Jan. 15, at Noon.
SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	CHIEF	Jan. 15, at 4 p.m.
PAROI & HAI PHONG	CHIEF	Jan. 15, at 10 a.m.
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## BOATMAN'S STORY.

## ALLEGED BOGUS POLICEMAN.

Doubt is cast by the police on the report of the master of a passenger boat who alleged the theft of \$125 worth of dynamite and fuse from his vessel at Shaukiwan Bay.

According to his own story the man was engaged by a quarry master at Salt Fish Lane on Friday to take the dynamite to a quarry at Ngautaukok. About 7 p.m., while the vessel was under way, a strong wind rose, and he was forced to put into Shaukiwan Bay for shelter. A few minutes after he had cast anchor, two men came alongside in a dinghy. They claimed to be police officers and said that they had come to search for smuggled contraband. The complainant told the strangers that he had no contraband on board, but was carrying a cargo of dynamite for which he had a permit. The men examined the permit and said that it was useless. They placed all the dynamite in the dinghy and rowed off in the direction of Saiwanho. The thieves also took the permit with them.

## STREET ROBBERY.

## BLINDED WITH PEPPER.

## RUFFIAN'S ESCAPE WITH HANDS.

A Japanese lady, Mrs. Shidomatsu, was the victim of a robbery last night. Walking along Praya East about 7 p.m., she stated, she had passed the entrance to Amoy Street, when she was suddenly seized by the neck from behind. Before she could free herself, she was accosted by two men, one of whom threw pepper in her eyes, while the other snatched her handbag containing a \$10 bill, 15 yen in Japanese notes and \$2 in small change. The robbery occupied less than one minute, and she was released almost as suddenly as she was attacked. Her assailants, she thought there were three of them, all disappeared up a side lane.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Mr. W. J. Stokes, local Secretary of the Marine Engineers' Guild, has returned to the Colony from Shanghai.

The remains of an unknown Chinese, thought to have committed suicide, were removed on Saturday to the Kowloon mortuary from the cemetery at Taihekkoo where he was found by the police hanging by the neck from a tree.

A fur left on the counter of a shop in d'Aguilar Street yesterday by Mrs. Jamieson, of No. 158 the Peak, was seized by a Chinese who made off up the street. The thief, who was soon caught, was sentenced by Magistrate Smith this morning to six weeks' hard labour.

A Chinese aged about 30 years, was yesterday found murdered in an unnumbered and unoccupied house at Malungkung, Sancheung. Death was due to strangulation. The police removed the body to the Kowloon mortuary, and later, as the result of enquiries, arrested several men on suspicion. Further enquiries are being made.

Mr. W. Chatham, C.M.G., who is shortly retiring was this afternoon at the offices of the P.W.D. given a handsome present by the Staff. It consisted of a silver writing set, composed of three inkwells, a writing pad, silver pen holders, a silver tray, a scribbling pad fitted with a clock and calendar, a stamp moisture, silver lighter, and two silver candlesticks.

A 7-year old Chinese child was yesterday admitted to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from injuries to his legs alleged to have been received through being knocked down at the junction of Queen's Road East and Spring Garden Lane by private ricksha No. 78, owned by Mr. Takeda, a Japanese tailor, of No. 61, Praya East. The child's injuries are not considered serious.

Among the many passengers who arrived here yesterday morning by the "Empress of Asia" were Mr. R. M. Dyer, Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., accompanied by Mrs. Dyer; Mr. J. H. Wallace, General Agent of the C. P. O. Services; Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Apcar, Mr. F. C. Champion, Mr. A. K. Henderson, Mr. A. L. Shields, Mr. A. S. Siderovski (the pianist), Mr. H. A. Thomas, Mr. W. Adams, Mr. C. F. Maltby and Mr. H. P. Whitmarsh.

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"PLASST"	7,248	22nd Jan.	Do.
"DELTA"	6,000	22nd Jan.	Do.
"DUNERA"	5,400	10th Feb.	Singapore, Colombo & Bombay.
"LAHORE"	5,400	10th Feb.	Do.
"KASGAR"	9,000	4th Mar.	MARSHALLS LONDON & A'Werp.

**BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS (South)**

S. S.	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"GREGORY APCAR"	4,700	11th Jan. at 1.45 p.m.	Straits, Rangoon and Calcutta.

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S. S.	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"EASTERN"	4,100	19th Jan.	Sandakan, Thursday Island, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, and Melbourne.
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"ST. ALBANS"	4,100	19th Jan.	Do.

**SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN**

S. S.	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"DELTA"	6,000	17th Jan.	Shanghai, M. J. and Kobe.
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**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**

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tified that they must produce an

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Goods remaining undelivered after the

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be presented to the Underwriter on or

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wharves delivery may be obtained.

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unless notice to the contrary be given

before 3rd January.

No claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all

Goods remaining undelivered after the

9th inst., will be subject to rent.

All claims against the Steamer must

be presented to the Underwriter on or

before the 18th inst., or they will

not be recognised.

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## SPORT.

## LEAGUE CRICKET.

## C.C.C. v. C.R.C.

A strong Chinese team met the Craighower XI on Saturday and won rather easily by four wickets and 46 runs. Craighower batted first and did poorly in front of the Chinese bowling. Bradbury, the only batsman to make a stand, contributed 44 runs to his side's total of 127.

The scores were—

CRAIGHOWER.					
F. G. Thompson, c Lee, b Ng	2				
S. Jex, c Wong, b Ng	2				
F. Lawrence, c Un, b Ng	0				
A. W. Grimmett, c Lee, b Ng	23				
B. W. Bradbury, c Lee, b Ng	44				
L. E. Lammer, c Lee, b Ng	25				
P. T. Lambie, c Choa, b Ng	4				
I. Bryant, c Wong, b Ng	0				
C. G. Anderson, not out	11				
M. E. Asger, run out	4				
Extras	9				

Total.....127

## Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Ng Sze Kwong.....	15.5	3	58	6
G. Lee.....	9	2	23	2
H. Ching.....	11	0	37	1

## C.R.C.

Ng Sze Kwong, c Bryant, b Lammer	15				
Choa Man Ping, b Lammer	42				
Un Hew Fan, b Lammer	38				
G. Lee, run out	24				
J. Wong, not out	42				
Shin Man Ping, c Thompson, b Lammer	4				
Lo Man Fan, not out	2				
Extras	6				

Total (for 5 wickets).....173

Yew Man Hon, Hung Man To, H. Ching, and Lai Kuen did not bat.

## Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
L. E. Lammer.....	11	0	64	2
J. Bryant.....	5	1	21	0
A. W. Grimmett.....	2	0	12	0
P. T. Lambie.....	12	0	47	2
C. G. Anderson.....	1	0	8	0
F. Lawrence.....	4	0	15	0

## C.S.C.C. v. I.R.C.

The Civil Services who were a home to the Indians on Saturday inflicted a crushing defeat on their guests. The Indians batted first and compiled 158 runs, of which A.A. Rumjahn was the chief contributor with 66. With 159 runs to make in an hour, the Civil Service set out to accomplish the apparently impossible. Good batting with a somewhat risky disregard for the bowling, saw the runs come in very quickly, and a couple of minutes before time saw them snatch a win with 167 runs for three wickets. Sutherland was in great form and compiled a useful 80 before his side declared. He was properly set, and there was no doubt that he would have made a century if the game had continued. Fours and sixes were scored by him in very convincing style. De Rome was a very useful partner who contributed 49 runs to the score.

The scores were—

INDIAN R.C.					
A. Arculli, c Sutherland, b Reed	1				
P. H. Ismail, c Strange, b Hamilton	25				
A. A. Rumjahn, c Hamilton, b Rome	66				
M. H. Abbas, c Ling, b Hamilton	8				
A. H. Rumjahn, b Sayer, b Hamilton	18				
S. Wierapuli, c W. W. b Hamilton	2				
S. H. Ismail, c and b De Rome	11				
P. D. Ismail, not out	2				
K. Khan, b Reed	6				
S. Rumjahn, b Reed	6				
R. Nazarin, b Reed	6				
Extras	6				

Total.....158

## CIVIL SERVICES C.C.

F. De Rome, c Rumjahn, b A. H.					
Rumjahn	49				
R. E. Wiche, c Abbas, b	12				
Rumjahn	19				
G. K. Sayer, c Weerapuli, b	80				
Rumjahn	19				
A. R. Sutherland, not out	7				
Extras	7				

Total.....167

F. J. Ling, E. W. Hamilton, G. H. Piercy, E. Fincher, E. B. Reed, H. E. Strange, and W. H. Edmonds did not bat.

## A WALK OVER.

The Staffs could not raise a team to meet the University in their league match on Saturday, and were forced to give their opponents a walk-over, thus putting the "Varsity" up by three points in the league table.

Another unplayed match was the friendly fixture between the H.K.C.C. and the Wilts.

## THE LEAGUE TABLE.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	P.
Civil Service.....	3	3	1	1	9
Kowloon.....	2	2	1	1	7
Craighower.....	5	2	1	1	7
University.....	1	1	3	5	6
C.R.C.....	3	1	2	5	5
Indians.....	4	1	2	1	4
R.G.A.....	2	1	1	3	3
H.K.C.C.....	3	1	2	2	2
Staffs.....	3	3	—	—	—

## FRIENDLY MATCHES.

## K.C.C. v. NAVY.

Played at King's Park on Saturday, this match was very closely contested and resulted in a win for the Home team by two wickets and 5 runs.

The scores were—

K. R. Macaskill, b Stanley					
C. J. Stapleton, b Kennett	0				
J. Stalker, b Kennett	81				
A. W. Ramsay, b Kennett	8				
B. D. Evans, c Stewart, b Sheffield	8				
D. M. Goodall, b Stanley	12				
H. Overy, b Sheffield	6				
J. P. Robinson, c and b Stanley	1				
W. J. T. Gorvin, c and b Hayter	38				
E. J. Braga, not out	0				
W. B. Haslett, not out	10				
Extras	10				

Total.....161

## Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
E. S. Kennett.....	6	1	30	2
E. O. B. Stanley.....	11	1	37	3
Hayter.....	11	0	56	2
Drew.....	2	0	15	0
Sheffield.....	3	1	13	2

## NAVY.

Lt. Bonham Carter, c Ramsay b Stalker					
Lt. Stewart, c Braga, b Gorvin	1				
Mid. Sheffield, run out	37				
Mid. Hayter, c and b Macaskill	8				
Mid. Wynne, b Macaskill	29				
Lt. Caswell, b Macaskill	21				
Lt. Jones, b Macaskill	11				
Lt. Franks, c Macaskill, b Stalker	10				
Lt. Commander Drew	11				
Extras	11				

Total.....173

## Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
W. J. T. Gorvin.....	5	0	15	1
B. D. Evans.....	5	0	16	0
H. Overy.....	4	0	18	0
J. Stalker.....	8	0	48	2
K. R. Macaskill.....	9	0	33	3
Haslett.....	5	0	25	0

## A WIN FOR THE WILTS.

At Happy Valley on Friday afternoon, the Wilts met the cricket XI of the Royal Marines Band of H.M.S. "Hawkins" and won easily.

The scores were—

ROYAL MARINE BAND.					
Bdmin. Hyne, b Harris	15				
Bdmin. Wilkins, c Blackmore, b Woodward	24				
Bdmin. Harris, b Harris	10				
Bdmin. Copeland, b Woodward	0				
Bdmin. Evered, c Harris b Woodward	0				
Bdmin. Livesay, b Woodward	6				
Bdmin. Roberts, b Woodward	9				
Bdmin. James, b Woodward	2				
Bdmin. Corbett, c Gooding, b Harris	2				
Bdmin. Hudson, c Taylor, b Harris	0				
Bdmin. Northcote, not out	0				
Extras	11				

## Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Harris.....	10	0	41	4
Jowers.....	3	0	19	0
Woodward.....	6	3	8	6

## HEADQUARTERS 2nd

## WILTS, REGT.

R. G. Harris, b Hudson					
W. R. Turner, b Hudson	13				
W. H. Woodward, b Wilkins	1				
G. Gooding, c Hyne, b Hudson	5				
H. L. Appleby, c Roberts, b Hudson	29				
J. Rogers, c and b Wilkins	25				
P. Smith, c Roberts, b Hudson	56				
R. Taylor, c Hyne, b Hudson	14				
S. Blackmore, c and b Hudson	0				
R. M. Adams, b Wilkins	1				
G. Jowers, not out	2				
Extras	13				

Total.....146

## Bowling analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Wilkins.....	13	2	27	3
Hudson.....	9	1	49	7
Corbett.....	2	0	15	0
Harris.....	3	0	10	0
Roberts.....	2	0	15	0
Copeland.....	2	0	17	0

## BILLIARDS.

## R.G.A. BEAT R.A.M.C.

In the Inter-Mess Billiards League, the R.G.A. Headquarters Sergeants' Mess strengthened their position at the top of the league table, by defeating the R.A.M.C. Sergeants' Mess on Friday evening, by six games to nil.

The teams were—

R.G.A.					
Staff-Serjt. Davis, C.S.M. Pragnell,					
Staff-Serjt. Gildard Mr. Gr. Thomas,					
R.S.M. Collins and C.Q.M.S. Rivers.					
R.A.M.C.					
Serjt. Wilkinson, Serjt. Hollands,					
Staff-Serjt. Mann, Serjt. Woolman,					
Serjt.-Major Thompson and Serjt. Rogers.					

## EXHIBITION AT V.R.C.

At the Victoria Recreation Club on January 11 and 12, Mr. George Gray, the world renowned billiardist will play exhibition games with Mr. T. B. Golding and Mr. P. Yvanovich, two well known local players. The games will commence each night at 9 o'clock sharp, and those intending to witness the games are advised to book their seats early as there is sure to be a rush. Reserved seats can be booked now at the V.R.C., at \$5, \$3 and \$2.

## RUGBY.

## NAVY BEAT ARMY.

The first match in the competition for the Hongkong Rugby Challenge Cup was played on the Club ground, Happy Valley on Saturday between teams representing the Navy and the Army, respectively.

Excepting for Yee (Curlew) replacing Thyme (Ambrose) in the team, and Dodwell (R.G.A.) turning out for the Army in place of Moore (Wilts), the teams fielded as previously announced.

In the opening stages of the game, the Army pack carried the scrums and were all over the Navy, but they could not get near the line. After the first quarter of the game, the Navy took charge of the oval and began to make things uncomfortable for the Army. The Navy very soon opened the scoring with Hancock running through and registering a converted try. Following a couple of scrums in midfield in which the Navy tried hard but failed to get away again, Murray scored an unconverted try for the Army. A few minutes later, Murray again broke through, and could have scored on his own. However, taking no chances, he passed to Bevan who crossed the line and scored a try. Murray took the kick and converted making the Army three points ahead of their opponents. From this point of the game to the closing whistle, the Navy had a monopoly of play, and pressing with determination, scored five more tries, of which two were converted. When the final whistle came, the Army, although it tried hard, had not scored again, and the Navy ran out winners by 24 points to 8. Hancock of the Navy team was the most prominent player on the field, and did most of his side's scoring. Mr. G. N. Tison of the H.K.F.C. had charge of the game.

The teams were—

## BOY SCOUTS RALLY.

## REVIEWED BY CHIEF SCOUT.

## DEMONSTRATION OF SCOUTCRAFT.

An interesting event took place on the Murray Parade Ground on Saturday afternoon, when the Hongkong Boy Scouts, in their first public display, were reviewed by H. E. the Governor, as Chief Scout and gave a demonstration of scoutcraft. The function was admirably arranged and went off smoothly, the Scouts being the recipients of much praise for their smart appearance and workmanlike bearing.

The Governor inspected the St. Joseph's College Troop (under Scoutmaster Gutierrez), St. Andrew's Troop (Scoutmaster Hawthorne), Wanchai Wesleyan Troop (Scoutmaster Kirk), and Murray Troop (Scoutmaster White), and congratulated the boys upon their display. The Governor was accompanied by his A.D.C., Capt. McGrath, and among those present were Vice-Admiral Sir A. L. Duff, Major General Kirkpatrick, and their A.D.C.s, Commodore W. Bowden Smith, Lieut. Colonel Bowen (Commissioner, Lieut. Weyman (Secretary of the Boy Scouts Association), Mr. A. O. Brown (Treasurer of the Association), Hon. Mr. A. E. Irving, Hon. Mr. Lau Chupak, Mr. E. Ralphs, Hon. Mr. W. Jackson (member of the Board of Education), the Bishop of Victoria (Rev. Dr. Dupper), Rev. M. Shevell, Rev. Waldegrave, Rev. Pimm, Rev. Bro. Almar, Lieut. Colonel Young, Lieut. Colonel Wyndham, Mr. R. Hancock, Mr. J. P. Bragg, Mr. Fitzgibbon, and others.

On the arrival of the Governor, a party of Scouts that was out on a reconnaissance expedition was recalled, and the Band of 2nd Wiltshire Regiment played "God Save the King." The Governor then inspected the Guard of Honour, consisting of two Scouts from each of the Troops, lined up before the Union Jack.

The Scouts then proceeded to stage a realistic performance. In camp under the trees near St. John's Cathedral were a number of North American Indians, represented by St. Joseph's College Troop, while at the Cricket Pavilion and the Murray Barracks end of the ground were English settlers, portrayed by the St. Andrew's, Wesleyan, and Murray Troops. Discovering each other's presence, both sides sent out recon-

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The Governor, in his capacity as Chief Scout, accompanied by the Commissioner, then made a tour of inspection. He indicated great interest in the work, sympathetically inquiring about the "casualties," and bestowing a friendly word on each of the Scouts.

This day, Lieut. Weyman, in charge of the rally, issued the call, and the patrol leaders assembled in a semi-circle before the Union Jack. At the command, the Scouts, with a shout, rushed forward and took their places in line behind their leaders. In front of their Troops stood the several Scoutmasters.

The Governor then delivered a brief address to the boys, expressing his pleasure at being present to witness such an enjoyable display.

The Peking News Agency says that suggestions have been made to the Government in regard to the opening of a conference at Shanghai with the Southern leaders in order to outline the necessary measures for reorganization work in the country. This conference will, however, be called the Reorganization Conference as the Government thinks there is no longer any necessity to enter into peace negotiations with the Southern leaders at the present time when the Canton Military Government is no longer in existence.

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LAND AND WATER TRAFFIC.

## INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE TO BE HELD NEXT MONTH.

PARIS, January 6.

A *Havas* message states that according to *Le Temps*, members of the League of Nations have been invited by the Secretary of the League to meet in Barcelona in February next in conference on questions pertaining to national and international traffic on land and water. The president of the conference is to be M. Gabriel Hanotaux, formerly French Minister of Foreign Affairs.

## FRENCH SENATE ELECTIONS.

PARIS, January 9.

The senatorial elections affecting one third of the senators in which five of the present Cabinet ministers are standing is being held to-day. The ex-President, M. Deschanel and the Finance Minister, M. Marsal, have already been elected.

PARIS, January 6.

A *Havas* message states:—The papers are expatiating on the coming Senatorial elections, which, in the opinion of several, might lead to some reshaping of the present Cabinet.

## SPORT.

## SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL.

## FIRST DIVISION.

H.M.S. "Carlisle" 1 H.K. Club ... 3  
H.M.S. "Ambrose" 1 South China 4  
Kowloon ... 1 Tamar ... 3  
SECOND DIVISION.  
United ... 1 South China 4  
Club de Recreio ... 0 St. Joseph's 3  
H.M.S. "Carlisle" 4 Punjabis ... 1  
R.G.A. ... 1 Oilers ... 1

## "AMBROSE" v. SOUTH CHINA.

This game, played on Navy "B" ground, resulted in an easy victory for South China. The latter got away early, and forced two corners inside of two minutes. The "Ambrose" players were having difficulty getting started, until Eldridge broke through. After fifteen minutes of play South China made a goal that was not allowed, one of the players being off-side. The Chinese then returned to the attack, and pressed their opponents briskly. Hardwood got the credit for preventing them scoring more rapidly. Once the Ambrose team made a spurt, but Knight put one wildly over the top. For the balance of the first half the play remained in the sailors' end of the field.

At the beginning of the second half, the Ambrose players started off well, and it looked as if they were going to cut down their opponents' lead. But the Chinese came back quickly. From a corner they scored their second goal; a little later they took their third, scoring from the mix-up in front of the sailors' goal. The Ambrose players then made another attack and Welch did well in heading their first and only goal. For a few minutes play was more even. Then the South China defence prevailed and play was brought to the Ambrose goal once more, where Harwood stopped a hot try from the left at close range. Playing hard, the Chinese scored another off-side goal. The rest of the game harassed the sailors' goal, and from a centre from the left Parker was unlucky in putting the ball into his own goal. Harwood saved the situation on several occasions when scoring seemed inevitable. South China won by four goals to one.

Mr. Wells was the referee. The teams were:—  
South China:—Lau Hing-cheung; Chan So; Cheung Wing-shing; Leung Yuk-tung; Ko Shik-wai; Ip Kan, Lai Fong-hung, Fung Tai, Fung Kam-tung, Au Kit-sang, Lau Hong-wing.  
H.M.S. "Ambrose":—Harwood;

Boyle, Parker; Kelsall, Eldridge, Welsh; Knight, Gastin, Monkhouse, Maylin and Gawn

## "CARLISLE" v. HONGKONG CLUB.

The game was played at 4 p.m. on Navy "A" ground. The Navy won the toss and started off well, keeping the ball in their opponents' end of the field. Harris trying for goal. Then the Club rushed the ball to the other end, and raised things up in front of the Sailors' goal. Barrett got away, but the Club came back briskly. Hamilton accomplishing a good centre without result. It looked for a few minutes as if the "Carlisle" players were going to score, but Gerard managed to send the ball well forward, and Begg scored for the Club with a good ground shot. The "Carlisle" players broke through, their outside left getting in a high shot, which the goalie reached but failed to stop. Play was central after this. A number of free kicks were awarded against the Sailors. Then the Club went up the field with some good passing, the "Carlisle" defence having hard work to stop them scoring. A nice clear by Hutton gave the "Carlisle" team a chance and Pavey put in two fine shots. At half-time the score still remained at one each.

The second half started with the Club half the "Carlisle" players securing a corner, Harris made a try but the goalie cleared well. At the other end Rodger sent the ball over the bar. The Club then secured a couple of corners and McTavish scored. Shortly afterwards Begg scored the third goal. Just before time Brant attempted another score, which was stopped. The result was 3 to 1 for the Hongkong Club.

The teams were:—  
Hongkong Club:—Rodger; Gerard, Tonkin; McPhail, Railton, Rodger; Hamilton, McTavish, Begg, Goldman, and Riss.  
H.M.S. "Carlisle":—Flood; Hutton, Barrett, Culow, Pavey, Harris; E.R.A. Harris, Brant, McCarthy, Wardy and Fawcett.  
Referee: Sergt. Major Williams, R.G.A.

## "TAMAR" v. KOWLOON.

This game was played at 4 p.m., and proved a good match. The "Tamar" has some new players, materially strengthening their team. One of these is their goalie, recently arrived from England, who played the same position for the Naval Depot team last season. Routley is another new player with a good record, and Adams, the centre-forward, is also a former Depot player.

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The game opened with Kowloon on the offensive, and Taylor became troublesome for the sailors. Handford fortunately cleared, and the "Tamar" players attempted an attack, which did not get far. Heap got away and tried to reach the Kowloon end, but was stopped by Coupland, who was playing well. Then Taylor tried a fast low drive which Mitch saved. Immediately after a low drive caused Mitch to throw himself full length for the ball, saving creditably. He put out to the back, who was, however, not there, and Millard made the first goal for the Kowloon players. The Sailors brightened up and the Kowloon defence had plenty of work to do. Townsend approached the Sailors' goal once more. Grant was working hard, but Millard dribbled the leather through the halves and sent to Estorick, who put it over the bar. Still on the offensive the Kowloonists gave the Sailors a lively few minutes. The Sailors retaliated, Styles and Routley producing some clever footer, which led up to Styles sending a shot to the goal which was saved by Crocker. Again he sent in a shot, but Crocker once more cleared well. The play moved to the sailors' territory, and Mitch was forced to run out on two occasions to save his side. He was

playing a good game. Handford sent the ball well down the field, and Sweeney got away, passing neatly to Styles, who again tried it on Crocker, who effected a save. Heap forced a corner, which brought no result. Styles with Adams led another attack but within shooting distance the sailors weakened. Kowloon got away again, and some good play was seen. Mitch was again called upon to stop a high shot from Townsend. At the other end again, Heap had hard luck, putting outside when quite near the goal. Sweeney tried Crocker with a stiff shot, which he saved. Half time—Kowloon 1, H.M.S. "Tamar" 0.

Starting the second half, the "Tamar" team immediately got busy. Heap was unfortunate putting over again. Sweeney passed neatly to Heap, who was in a favourable position for shooting. Crocker ran out of goal to save. Kowloon got away, and Mitch was again called on to deal with a shot from Millard. Routley made for the Kowloon territory, but Knight and Wheeler robbed him. Adams led another attack and Crocker saved a troublesome shot. After a series of neat passes along the forward line Heap headed the leather to the net for the sailors and equalised. The sailors came again, Crocker having a

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warm time punching away. Wheeler eventually sent the Kowloon forwards away, and Townsend failed with an open goal in front of him. A foul was awarded in favour of the sailors. Taylor took the free kick and Sweeney met the ball, forced his way through the backs and netted the second goal for the sailors. Things became exciting. After receiving a pass from Heap, Styles put over. Not downhearted, he awaited his chance, and Crocker was tested with a drive which he saved well. Wheeler handled in the penalty area, and Styles took the kick and made the third goal for the sailors. The whistle blew with the sailors winners by 3 goals to 1.

## S. C. A. RESERVES v. UNITED.

This match was played on South China ground at 2.30. The Chinese, playing a fast game, started off at a lively gait, and it looked as if scoring would begin early. By a mischance they failed to get one just after the game opened. Their first came after a splendid effort by their forwards, being scored by Pang Kang-wing from a pass received from Lan Kan. The United forwards attempted a raid on Chinese territory and were successful, but failed at the critical moment. Still trying hard, Valentine and May tested the Chinese goalie, who, however, cleared well each time. Play was then transferred to the United area, and Simmons and Urquhart were given a lively time. The Chinese forwards came again, and Simmons made a good clear. Some pretty play followed among the United forwards and the Chinese defence, and the former were quite lucky when Fok Ping-yui miskicked, and Valentine, who was in a favourable position, netted the equalising goal. The spectators witnessed a few minutes of good football. Following a series of quick passes the Chinese netted their second goal, giving them the lead again. The United then started to play a very uneven game, using weight and appealing carelessly to the referee, Mr. Samuels. He, however, quelled the disturbances. Several of the United players were warned. Half time arrived with the Chinese leading 2 goals to 1.

From the resumption the Chinese took the game into their hands, and the United defence were thoroughly tested. Much is to be said for both Simmons and Urquhart. Hung In-to sent the ball down to the attacking forwards, and Leung Wing-tak made a splendid individual effort, which brought the third goal for the Chinese. Two of the Chinese forwards were running to the goal, and both the United backs and the goalie went for the men, instead of the ball, with result that the ball, unattended, was left to roll into the net, registering the fourth goal for the Chinese. The rest of the game was played around the United area, with their opponents having very hard lines in not increasing the lead.

The final whistle came with the scores: S.C.A. Reserves 4, United 1. The teams were:—  
United—Wm. McLeod, A. F. Simmons, D. D. Urquhart, J. Leonard, T. Marshall, Chas. H. Blake, J. Kent, P. Brown, Geo. May, R. K. Valentine, C. R. Logan.  
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CLUB DE RECREIO v. ST. JOSEPH'S.

These teams met on St. Joseph's ground at 2.30 p.m. St. Joseph's won by three goals to nil. They proved the superior side, although Club de Recreio had a good team and St. Joseph's with a lead of two clear goals at half-time, were given a fair tussle during the second half. The referee was Mr. Drayton.

R.G.A. RESERVES v. OILERS.

The R.G.A. had the heavier team but did not have matters their own way. The Oilers were leading by the only goal scored at half-time, whilst the R.G.A. managed to get an equaliser during the second half. Perhaps the R.G.A. had a little better of the exchanges, but their weight also had much to do with it. The Oilers made up for this in the plucky way they combated this asset of their opponents. Time

arrived with the score one all. The referee was Mr. Clements.

"CARLISLE" RESERVES v. PUNJABIS.

The "Carlisle" team started things with a rush. Warren took a free kick near the penalty area, hitting the cross-bar. Dickenson heading the ball in on the rebound. Play remained in the Punjabis' half, their goalie having a lively time, except for two breaks by the Punjabis. Watson scored the second goal, followed shortly after by another from Warren. Play was more even in the second half, and after Watson scored the fourth goal for the "Carlisle" the Punjabis made a determined effort. Their outside left and Lieut. Rees both tried, and finally their inside right got in a really good shot. Time was called with the score 4 to 1 for the "Carlisle" Reserves. The referee was Mr. Pearce.

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